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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of: **Stefan Kruck**

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For: **PLUG-IN CONNECTOR FOR PLUMBING FIXTURES**

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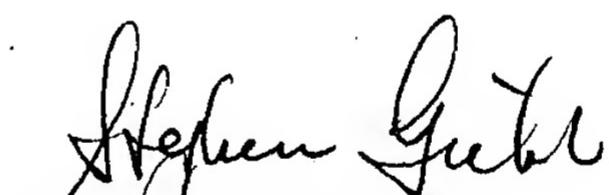
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Sir:

Submitted herewith is the patent application of Stefan Kruck. The application is complete but lacks a signed declaration. Applicant requests a Notice of Missing Parts (filing date accorded) indicating the serial number and filing date, whereupon a signed declaration and the surcharge under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 will be filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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